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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

JACK SIMPSON

Serial No. 09/054,565

Filed: April 3, 1998

For: **RESILIENT SCRAP STRIPPER
FOR A CORRUGATED BOARD
ROTARY CUTTING DIE**

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Examiner
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Raleigh, North Carolina
December 20, 1999

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the official office action of August 18, 1999, relating to the above-identified United States patent application, the Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to enter the following amendment:

In the Specification

Page 9, line 12, delete "cutting die" and insert therefore --cylindrical die board--.

Page 9, line 17, after "die" insert --board--.

Page 9, line 21, delete "cutting" and after "die" insert --board--.

Page 10, line 19, delete "20" (second occurrence) and insert therefore -- 24--.